Greetings,

The 2015 school year is in full swing now and I can honestly say that at Tyalla Primary School, it has been one of the most positive starts that I have ever experienced. Things have progressed quite smoothly and the climate in the school has been truly excellent. Well done everyone.

INFANTS TOILETS

Now it is not too often that I get excited about toilet blocks at school but this week I am going to do just that. Over the past two months, our Infants Toilet Block has been closed as it has been given a major revamp. The end result, I am very pleased to say, is really great and we are very thankful for the funding we were able to access to get this done.

TYALLA PRIMARY SCHOOL FACEBOOK PAGE

As you may be aware, last year I started a Tyalla Primary School Facebook page. This is a positive communication site open to parents, teachers and community members. It is to be maintained as a site to share news, information and photos of the great things happening in and around our fantastic school. To join, simply type in Tyalla Primary School, Coffs Harbour. I hope to see many of you on the worldwide web.

Have a great week,
Stewart Copeland
Principal
IMPORTANT DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

26th March
THURSDAY
CROSS COUNTRY (WEATHER PERMITTING)
- details to follow (start training now)!

CANTEEN ROSTER
WEEK BEGINNING MONDAY, 9TH MARCH

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CANTEEN NEWS
HOT CROSS BUN DRIVE
Want a delicious Easter treat? Accompanying today’s newsletter is an order form for Hot Cross Buns. If you would like to order, please complete the form and return it, together with the correct money, to the canteen no later than Friday, 27th March. Orders will be available for collection on Tuesday, 31st March.

CHANGE TO NACHOS DAY
NACHOS WILL NOW BE AVAILABLE ON THURSDAYS instead of Wednesdays, starting this Thursday, 5th March.

CANTEEN SPECIAL - THIS FRIDAY, 6TH MARCH
BUTTER CHICKEN & RICE
SMALL: $3.50 LARGE: $4.50

P&C NEWS
Thank you to everyone who attended the P&C Meeting, it was a wonderful turnout and great to see so many new faces.

We got straight down to business as we have two events coming up in the near future. We are putting a call out to anyone who can help by way of donations.

Firstly, we are having a ‘BBQ, Cake and Second Hand Book Stall’ at the school on Election Day, 28th March. Do you have any books you could donate for us to sell? There will be a box in the officer foyer for donations.

The other event is our annual ‘Easter Egg Raffle’. This is one of our biggest fundraisers and I’m sure you know how much the children love it! So next time you are shopping, please keep this in mind and start bringing your Easter egg donations to the office.

Thanks for your support.

Have a great week
Tina Di Sisto … P&C President

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK, TERM 1, WEEK 5


CLASS OF THE WEEK
1KB
Congratulations!

ASSEMBLY AWARDS, TERM 1, WEEK 5

SILVER: Kira Anderson, Deannah Evison, Alex Hughes, Paige Kerrell, Layla Pinazza, Zak Hall, Charlie Jones, Amber McMahon, Kiarra-Lee Miles, Bailey Burling, Ava Hughes, Sabah Marial, Harmony Cordell, Dominic Robertson, Stirling McDonald, Dakota Kerrell, Charlie Kerrell

GOLD: Kira Anderson, Zak Hall, Harmony Cordell, Ava Hughes

RUBY: Imogen Richards, Deannah Evison, Ava Hughes

please visit the school website for individual gold and ruby photographs www.tyalla-p.schools.nsw.edu.au
**CLEAN UP AUSTRALIA - SCHOOLS CLEAN-UP DAY**

Schools Clean-Up Day was set for 27th February, however due to the state of the grounds we have postponed it until Friday, 13th March.

All Tyalla families are invited to volunteer with their child’s class. Clean up starts at 10.00am, straight after assembly.

Please see Mrs Spooner if you have a particular activity you would like to volunteer for.

**SAVE THE DATE - FRIDAY, 13TH MARCH AT 10.00AM**

**MULTICULTURAL HARMONY FESTIVAL**

**SUNDAY, 22ND MARCH - BOTANIC GARDENS**

The Tyalla Drumming Group and School Singing Group will be performing at the Multicultural Harmony Festival on Sunday, 22nd March at the Botanic Gardens. Keep the date free as it’s sure to be a fantastic event.

**SMART FOODS TO BOOST LEARNING**

- If you want your child to think more clearly, give them a breakfast high in protein such as eggs and milk.
- Mother Nature is full of foods that help children and adults think and feel better.
- Exercise is good for thinking because it supplies oxygen to the brain.
- Avoid white squishy things like chips, white bread and cakes.


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**ORARA TOMAHAWKS JUNIOR RUGBY LEAGUE**

**Tomahawks want you!!**

Tomahawks Rugby League Club are looking for new and past players in the Coffs Harbour and Western District Areas to register for the 2015 season. All junior age groups are available from 5 years through to 16.

Registrations are being held each Tuesday and Thursday from 3rd March at Orara High School Oval, Bray Street from 4.00pm-5.00pm. Cost of registration is $100 for the season which includes socks and shorts. Club polo shirts will be available for purchase through the Club.

Training commences on Tuesday, 3rd March and is held at Orara High School Oval each Tuesday and Thursday afternoon from 4.00pm-5.00pm and is fully supervised.

For more information contact: Registrar - Jo McKenzie on 0412 541 665, President - Mark Thomas on 0428 159 122 or Secretary - Katrina Lynch on 0435 988 690.

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**Congratulations to our 2015 SRC**